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### Dixie Youth Baseball

The Pirates beat the Cardinals 9-5 in the first game Tuesday night. Eddie Kelley, Joe Morrow, and Donnie Skinner had 3 hits each for the Pirates. Freddy Hanchey had 3 hits and Joe Maddox 2 for the Cardinals.

Donnie Layton pitched a 2 hitter to lead the Pirates to a 5-1 win over the Yankees in the nightcap. David Smith and Greg Brunson had the Yankees hits.

Joe Morrow's fourth home run and Eddie Kelley's 3 RBI's carried the Pirates to a 13-10 win over the Tigers to start Thursday's action. Bowden was the winning pitcher. Buddy King hit his sixth home run in a losing cause.

The Yankees took over first place in the second game with a 14-1 romp over the Cardinals. Mark Parker had a home run in addition to being the winning pitcher. Charlie Windham also had 2 hits.

There has been 14 home runs so far this year compared to 3 in all of last year's games in the Elba Dixie Youth League.

The standing after 12 games:

Yankees W - 7, L - 5, GB - 0.

Cardinals W - 6, L - 6, GB - 1.

Tigers W - 6, L - 6, GB - 1.

Pirates W - 5, L - 7, GB - 2.

There will be a singing school at Wise Mill Church from June 29th through July 11th.

The school will be conducted by S. W. Hollingworth, 7:15 p.m. has been set as the time to begin the lessons.

The school is free and the Pastor, Reverend Dallas Bryant, states that the public is invited to attend.

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To clean the highways entirely, twice annually in this manner and to spot-clean the remainder of the year will cost the Alabama taxpayers \$882,500.

The Highway Director, Bob Kendall, Jr., said "If motorists of Alabama Mann, Director, will begin enforcing the law relating to the litter problem and will issue tickets to all offenders. The maximum fine for littering is \$100 and/or a 30-day jail sentence.

The Highway Department is working with all Municipalities, County Commissioners and civic service organizations to help curb this problem. An anti-litter brochure is being distributed throughout the state to try to emphasize the many aspects of litter.

Governor Albert Brewer and Highway Director Kendall ask that all citizens be extremely aware of this effort and help in the drive to keep Alabama litter free.

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### Report On Recreation Program

Mr. Randy Griffin has plans for some girls' softball teams as a part of summer recreation program. He has asked that all girls between the ages of eleven and fifteen who are interested in joining the Pony League softball team contact him immediately.

The Pony League softball is made up of three teams and each team has won two games and lost two games. The entire league is in a three way tie.

The local American Legion post will hold a business meeting tonight at 8:30. The meeting will be held at the new American Legion building on the Troy Highway. Commander Reeves stated that it is very important that all members attend this meeting.

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ALABAMA POULTRY QUEEN . . . Linda Carole Proctor is made "An Honorary Brave" by Manager Luman Harris as the team and the poultry industry prepare for Alabama Poultry Day at Atlanta Stadium on August 10. The Braves will be meeting the New York Mets in the afternoon Sunday game which will be attended by poultrymen from throughout Alabama.

### AT CITY HALL

The Elba City Council met Monday night in the City Hall. All members of the group were present and voting.

After the minutes were approved, Mayor Brunson read a letter of appreciation from Professor Dixon in response to the council's action in naming a street in his honor.

The letter further stated that according to the news reports the local council appeared to be trying to do something for the town.

Several complaints were received about excessive mosquitoes and the city clerk was instructed to start the spraying program again.

The problem of patching the holes in the city streets was discussed and the City Clerk was instructed to contact someone to determine how holes could be repaired once the need it again in a few months.

Councilman Jacobs reported on the financial condition of the hospital and on the prospects of needing additional money when the bids are opened on the expansion of the hospital next week.

Chief Smart reported that the State Engineer had recommended that the speed limit on the Samson Highway be raised to the state limits in the area from the intersection with Highway 54 and the city limits.

The council decided that this type action was at the discretion of the police chief.

Building Inspector T. M. Stroud submitted his resignation in writing effective June 30th. He stated that the increased building activity in Elba and his failing health were the reasons for the resignation.

The council voted to accept the resignation and authorized the city clerk to draft a letter of appreciation to Mr. Stroud for his invaluable years of service to the City of Elba.

No action was taken on appointing a new building

inspector.

The recreation board was discussed and the councilman concluded that the group was doing an excellent job.

Mayor Brunson was authorized to borrow the necessary money to pay for the construction of the T-hangers at the municipal airport. Brunson also reported that application had been made for a \$4,000 grant from the Alabama Department of Aeronautics and Space Administration to help with the pilots lounge and paving of taxi ways to the new hangars.

The council was informed that there were two vacancies on the Industrial Board due to two members not being eligible to serve.

Chairman Sam Sawyer and member Alvie Gallimore are the two members. Sawyer is serving on the Housing Authority also and this is not allowed under state law.

Charles Ellis was appointed to fill one of the vacancies and no action was taken to fill the other vacancy.

By 10 p.m. the council had reached an item on the agenda that is of vital interest to almost everyone in town. The subject was paving of the city streets.

The subject was taken up in connection with the sewer projects. Mayor Brunson reported that it would be necessary to acquire the services of an engineer and the state nor the county engineers were available.

Mayor Brunson was instructed to seek the services of private engineers to survey this project. It is hoped that work can begin on this project this summer.

A resolution was approved to be sent to the local Senator and Representative stating that the Elba City Council was satisfied with the present form of county government (County Commissioners).

This motion resolution was approved by a vote of three to one.

### Jr. College Plans Local Short Courses

Enterprise Junior College is interested in conducting some short courses in Elba. These courses would be completed in six to eight weeks during the summer or in ten to twelve weeks during the balance of the year.

Courses suggested have been Modern Math, Truth in Lending and Consumer Economics on Inflation. History of Alabama and Communism and Capitalism Today.

If you are interested in these or other courses, contact Mr. Dan Smith at the Junior College in Enterprise or this newspaper with your suggestions.

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### Highway Patrol Report For Week Released

During this past week-end, from 6:00 p.m. Friday through midnight Sunday, the Alabama Highway Patrol investigated 178 rural traffic accidents with 106 injuries and 11 fatalities. Colonel Floyd Mann, State Director of Public Safety, stated that these weekend fatalities brings the total killed this year to 386 as compared to 373 at the same time last year for an increase of 13 fatalities.

The eight county Dothan District Troopers investigated 18 accidents with 16 injuries and no fatalities. Eight of the injuries occurred in one accident in Geneva County. There have been 31 rural fatalities in the district this year as compared to 37 at the same time last year for a decrease of 6. Violations causing these weekend accidents were falling to the right of way, uncontrolled speed, driving while intoxicated and drivers falling asleep. Saturation details were held in five of the eight counties and 76 arrests and 83 warnings were made on these details.

Falling to yield the right of way is one of the four leading causes of traffic accidents. Disregarding traffic control devices, negligence in entering the highway from private driveways and turning across the path of oncoming traffic are some examples of this violation. Colonel Mann reminds you to be prepared to yield the right of way -- even when its yours.

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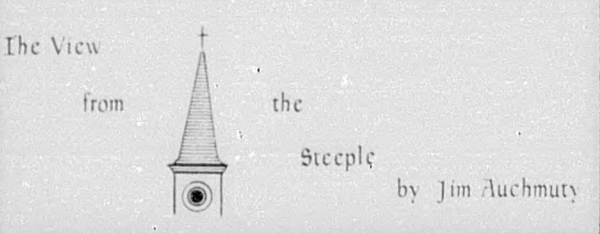




## Couple To Marry July 12



LINDA GAYLE ALLEN



The View from the Steeple by Jim Auchmuty

Was this in Elba? Could it be you? "Hello there, my friend, Glad to see you on this bright Monday morning. What's on your mind? You look a bit worried."

"Well, who wouldn't be worried, with the papers full of the way Communism is spreading? I tell you, if we don't wake up and do something about it, we're in for a bad time."

"By the way, we missed you in Sunday School yesterday. In fact, I don't believe you have been with us for several Sundays."

"No, I'll tell you, I enjoy Sunday School and I sure believe we need to study the Bible, but Sunday is the only day I have, and you know a fellow has to have some time off. I just took it easy yesterday morning, and after dinner we rode down to the beach. Took the whole family, I believe the kids need Sunday School and Church, but it doesn't do any good to make them go. But about the Communism, it really scares me. Why in some counties they have closed up the churches... won't let the people worship."

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**R** DON'T CONFUSE CANKERS WITH COLD SORES

Cold sores are on the outside of the lips and are caused by a virus. Canker sores are on the inside of the mouth and not on the gums.

The cause of canker sores is not definitely certain. A form of strep germ has been found in such ulcers. Some experts blame injury to the tissues, caused by a tooth brush or hard foods. Others blame them on an allergic reaction. If you are often troubled by canker sores consult a physician.

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## Brunsons Kitchen Shower Fetes Recent Bride-Elect Are Parents

Mrs. Boyd Murphree, Mrs. Janet Murphree, Mrs. Drexel Cook and Miss Carla Cook entertained Saturday, June 14, at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Janice Davis, bride-elect of Van McCall, The Highway.

A party plate of delicious refreshments were served to the honoree and those attending Mrs. L. B. McCall, Miss Mirenda McCall, Mrs. Dick Davis, Miss Judie Davis, Mrs. Charles Pearce, Mrs. Fred Cramton, Miss Diane Donaldson, Miss Patsy Burch, Miss Elaine Miller, Mrs. Joe Roberts, For the delightful occasion, Miss Davis chose Findley Clark, Miss Harriett Collier, Miss to Ann Morrow, Miss Pam Vaughan, Miss Jane Heard, the hostesses, was delectable of the affair with the tea cart and presented ningly arranged with satin streamers.

## S. S. Representative Addresses A.A.R.P.

The Elba Chapter of AARP met at the Country Club on May 27 at 11:00 o'clock.

The president, Mrs. Luna Della Ringo, presided and welcomed the 21 members and two visitors, Mrs. H. H. Richardson and Mrs. Eddie Ritchie, of Dothan. She thanked Mrs. Evelyn Folsom for the beautiful flower arrangements used on the tables.

Mrs. Ola Kendrick, acting secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting and called the roll.

Mrs. Ringo read a letter from Mr. Miller thanking the club for services to the aged. She also stated that the charter for theor-Smith and Lacrechia, Mr. and Mrs. Edlow Bryan and Eddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hudson and children of Montgomery also attended.

Continued from front for — one against and one not voting. The councilman not voting and the councilman voting against the resolution explained that they did not know anything about the type governing body suggested by the Enterprise Council and wished more time to look into the matter.

The final item of business was the annual salary review of City employees. During this review twenty city employees were given cost-of-living pay raises ranging from \$2.50 to \$10.00 each. The raises totaled \$100.50 per week. The council noted that even after these raises, many, if not most, of the city employees were still making far less than paid by private business in this area.

## RODEO

— AMATEUR RODEO - JACKPOT —

### BAR-B-Q PLATES REFRESHMENTS

**7:30 Performance In Andalusia**

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7. CALF SCRAMBLE
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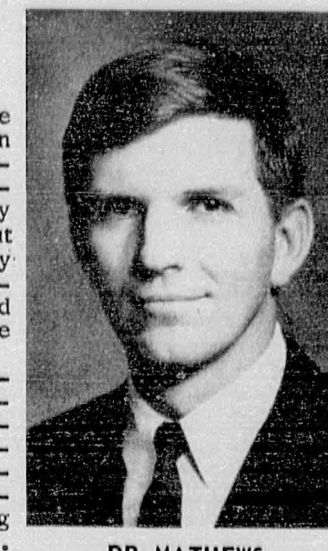
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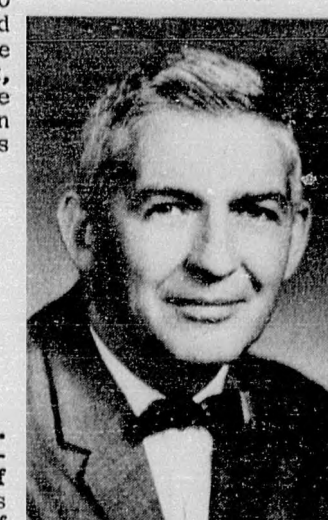
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DR. MATHEWS



DR. VOLKER

## University Appoints New Leaders

Governor Albert P. Brewer, president ex officio of the University of Alabama Board of Trustees, made announcements of major administrative changes for the University of Alabama in a called press conference Monday.

At the Tuscaloosa campus, the Trustees are appointing Dr. Joseph F. Volker as President. He has been serving in the capacity of Vice President for Birmingham Affairs and since May, 1968, Executive Vice President.

## THE ELBA CLIPPER

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## JAIL BREAK

Continued from front after Sheriff Tillman, his deputies, city policemen and highway patrols had surrounded the area. The man had been wounded once earlier by policeman Costan as he attempted to halt the man's flight from justice. He was admitted to Elba General Hospital after capture.

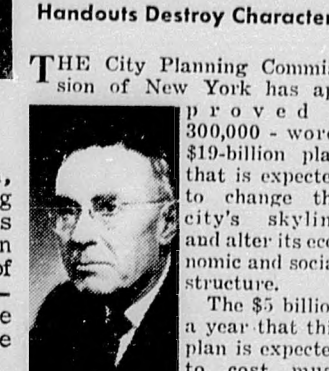
Four of the escapees were negroes and from the Enterprise area. One was a white soldier from Ft. Rucker. The wounded escapee (caught last) is wanted in the Carolinas and in Florida. Sheriff Tillman stated Tuesday night that he would be turned over to the officers "up there" but Tillman wants the man back after they are finished with him.

Mrs. Tillman suffered only minor cuts and bruises as a result of the events of the day.

## IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

Handouts Destroy Character



Dr. Kershner

The main purpose of the plan is to create a new middle class by giving three million poor people "direct payments, new public service jobs, subsidy of private jobs in the private sector and stipends during advanced training."

Giving money to poor people has never yet produced middle class people. It is more likely to reduce the present middle class to the poor class.

People achieve middle class standing by character, integrity, initiative and hard work. To greatly increase the burden on them in this attempt to buy a new middle class will reduce them to the poverty level.

What we need is more earned money and less free welfare. If able-bodied citizens were required to do useful work in return for relief payments, we would be on the road to a solution of the problem. Giving people money without obligating them to do useful work for it, is destructive of character and will cause a rapid increase in the number of people needing and demanding relief. It is the road to bankruptcy and loss of freedom.

Many of our poor people are not able to earn standard wages, but they could earn something. If employers were not required to pay minimum wages to people incapable of earning them, many unemployed people would find jobs. There ought also to be an apprentice wage for younger persons until they acquire the skill and experience that would enable them to earn standard wages.

The destruction of freedom in the marketplace is responsible for the insoluble problem of welfare and the demand for more and more relief.

## Witnesses To Get Away From It All

Seashore or mountain-side, vacations are designed to "Get Away From It All," and for one group of people from Elba no vacation would be complete without a convention.

"Nearly all of Jehovah's Witnesses plan their vacations around our annual convention," said David Lassiter, presiding minister of the Elba Congregation. "Plans have been completed for a large delegation here to attend an eight-day convention in Atlanta, July 6-13," he said.

A survey of congregation members indicate that many are making convention-time a time of relaxation, too, with side visits to the usual tourist attractions planned along the way.

"Seasons will be held in Atlanta Stadium and will emphasize the Bible's promise of a new and peaceful system of things on Earth," Mr. Lassiter said. "This promise of 'Peace On Earth' is in fact, the convention's theme."

## MARSHALL NOW IN SOUTH VIETNAM

Army Specialist Five Edd E. Marshall, Jr., 26, whose parents live at 507 Newton St., Elba, was assigned May 28 to the 1st Signal Brigade, U. S. Army Strategic Communications Command near Can Tho, Vietnam.

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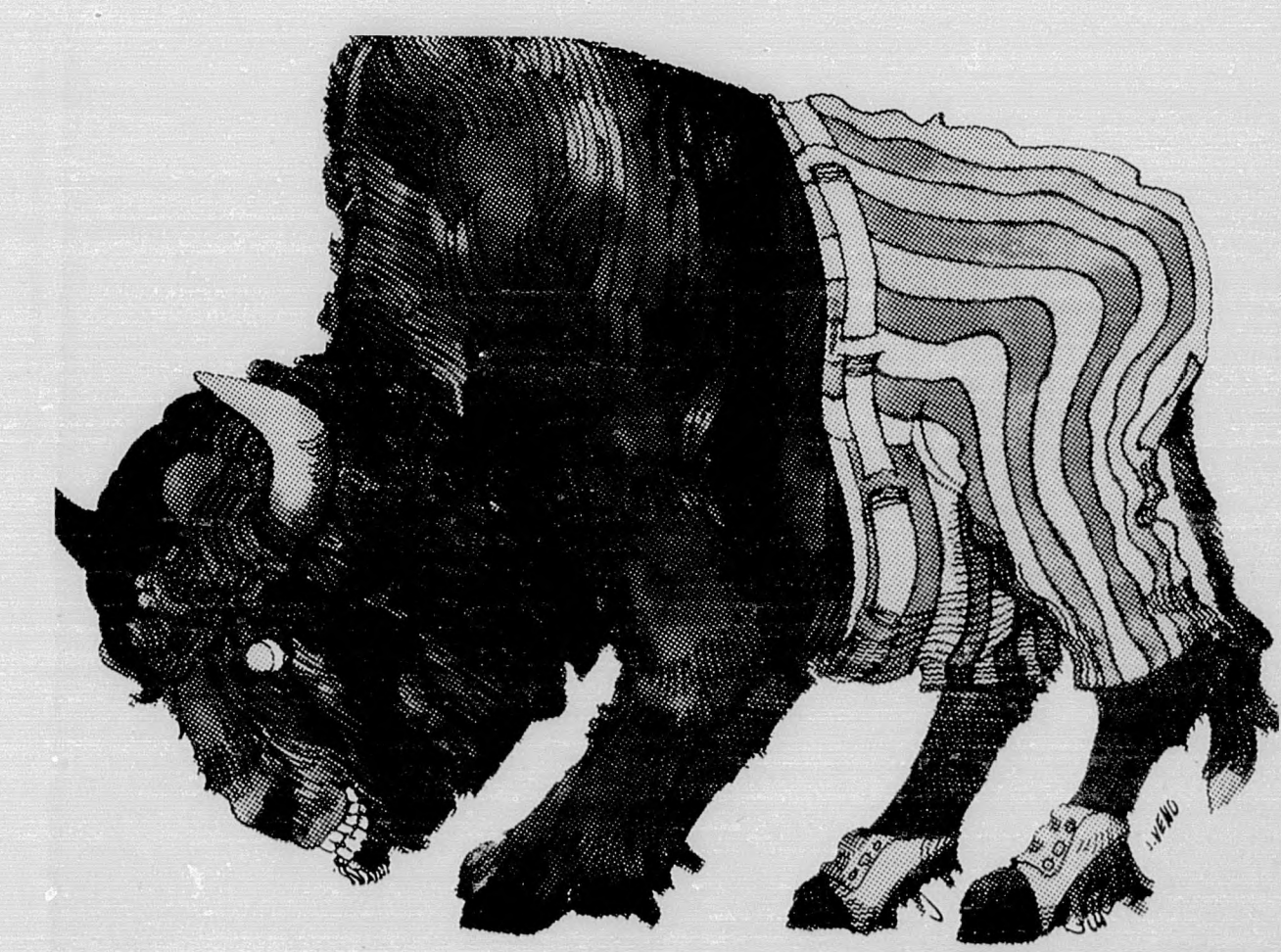
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Manned Spacecraft Recovery Forces of the U. S. Navy will provide commemorative cachet and cancellation services for the upcoming Apollo 11 manned space flight to the moon.

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To permit adequate time for required handling of covers, collectors should send pre-stamped, self-addressed envelopes to the appropriate coordinator prior to July 4, 1969, in accordance with U. S. Post Office Department Regulations, only U. S. Postage may be used on covers submitted. Stamps (postage) of other countries or the United Nations cannot be used, and cash or checks in lieu of postage cannot be accepted. It is further requested that collectors furnish standard size covers, 3 5/8 inches by 6 1/2 inches with a full-size return address.

Addresses for the Atlantic and Pacific are coordinators are:

TASK FORCE 140 Public Affairs Office (Apollo 11) Manned Spacecraft Recovery Force, Atlantic, Building SP-77, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Virginia 23511

TASK FORCE 150 Chief-in-Charge (Apollo 11), Navy Terminal Post Office, PPO San Francisco, Calif. 94101

The income tax has greatly increased the price of success—Fred W. Grown, The Bergen (N.J.) Citizen.

## Man Can Live

## On Just Four Foods—With Whiskey

Today's housewife can choose from over 8,000 food items on supermarket shelves. But, if necessary, she and her family could subsist for many months on just four food items, according to San Francisco internist Dr. Albert H. Behnke. All man

## Sergeant Helms Serving With 'Crack' Unit

Master Sergeant William Q. Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cammell, Helms of Rt. 1, New Brockton, is a member of the Aerospace Defense Command (ADC) unit at Keflavik Air Force Base, Iceland, that has received national recognition for proficiency in identifying Soviet bombers operating over the North Atlantic. Ground crews provide essential support for aircrews who fly F-102 Delta Daggers in some of the most adverse flying weather in the world while patrolling the northern approaches to North America.

Constantly testing our air defense responses over the North Atlantic, the flights of Soviet "Bear" bombers are intercepted at high altitudes. The Bear, capable of reaching any

target in the United States without refueling, can carry air-to-surface missiles or a 25,000-pound bomb load.

The ADC squadron aircrews and support personnel, serving with the Icelandic Defense Forces, were cited for sustained

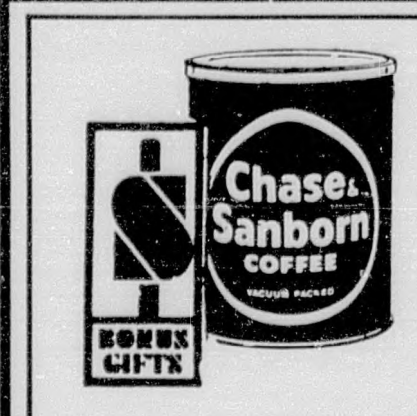
superior operational efficiency in intercepting and identifying aircraft. Sergeant Helms, a graduate of New Brockton High School, served during the Korean War.

His wife, Myrtle, is the daughter of Mrs. H. S. Whitley of Elba.

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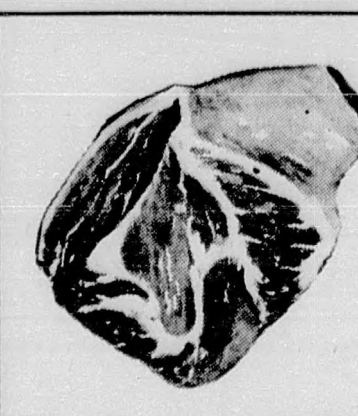
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## Bid Opening Delayed By Hospital

The Elba General Hospital Board has postponed the opening of bids on the hospital expansion until Tuesday of next week (July 22nd). It was scheduled for June 24th but was postponed to allow bidders more time to prepare their bids.

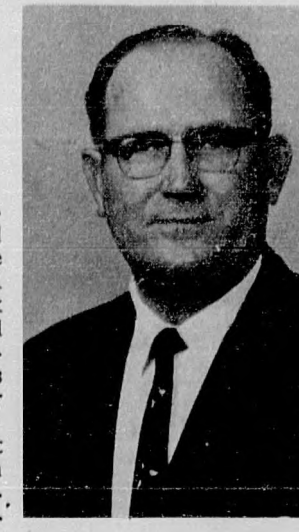
Bids will be opened at 2 p.m. in the court room of the Elba Courthouse according to hospital administrator Bill Pierce.

## Cemetery Association To Elect Officers

The Pine Level Cemetery Association will hold a meeting in the Pine Level Community Center on Friday night, June 27 for the purpose of electing new officers. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

## Board Of Registrars To Register Voters

The Coffee County Board of Registrars will meet on July 8, 9 and 10 in Elba for the purpose of registering unregistered voters. They will meet in the courthouse annex. The board will meet in Enterprise on July 10, 11 and 12.



## Newbia Baptist

## Hold Revival This Week

Reverend Culon P. Davis will be the visiting evangelist at the revival services of the Newbia Baptist Church, according to church pastor, Reverend R. A. Davis. Evening services begin at 7:30 p.m. on June 22 and last through June 27.

"A tourist is a man who travels to see things that are different and then complains when they aren't the same."

## Beauty Pageant Planned At Ft. Rucker

The free auditions for local contestants to the Alabama "Our Little Miss" Pageant are scheduled for Friday 11 July and Saturday 12 July, at the Fort Rucker Little Theater.

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## AT CITY HALL

The Elba City Council met Monday night in the City Hall. All members were present for this meeting.

The first order of business was complaints from local citizens about uncontrolled garbage from local businesses, mainly grocery stores. The councilmen asked City Clerk Harris Winston to contact the store owners and request them to place all perishables in covered containers in accordance with the City code.

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PVT - 1 William E. Bryan of Elba, a member of Btry C 1st Bn 117 Arty, Alabama Army National Guard in Elba will report for six months active duty training at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, June 30, 1969.

Private Bryan will undergo eight weeks of basic training in fundamental courses and skills and will receive eight weeks advanced training at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma specializing as a Field Artillery Basic.

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